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The terms "reuse" and "reusable" in the context of this disclosure apply to the removal and reuse of the securement means and the embedded circuit in the securement means.--

## In the Claims:

19 (Twice Amended) A radio frequency device

comprising:

disposable attachment means for locating said device on an object or an individual to be identified, said attachment means being a disposable wristband, said wristband having opposite extremities;

reusable securement means <u>demountably</u> engagable with the opposite extremities of said wristband to maintain said wristband in <u>temporary</u> operative relationship with and being separable from said extremities when said wristband is discarded; and

radio frequency identification circuit <a href="mailto:embedded">embedded</a>
[means located] in said securement means for reuse with said securement means with a replacement wristband

after the disposable wristband has been discarded.

21. (Twice Amended) A radio frequency identification device comprising:/



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disposable attachment means having opposite extremities;

securement means separably connected to said opposite extremities of said attachment means for maintaining said attachment means in temporary operative relationship with an object or individual to be identified; and

radio frequency identification circuit means

embedded [boused] in said securement means and being

removable with said securement means from said

attachment means for subsequent use with replacement

attachment means.

25. (Twice Amended) Rousable securement means having a body with securement portions thereupon, said securement portions being demountably engagable with opposite extremities of disposable attachment means to maintain said attachment means on an object or individual, said body having radio frequency identification circuit means embedded [located] therein.

Cancel claim 26.

## REMARKS

Applicant acknowledges the courtesy of an interview afforded Applicant's attorney by the Examiner on December